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### STATUS INQUIRY

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully inquires as to the status of the above-identified application filed July 23, 2003, along with a Preliminary Amendment. To date, Applicant has not received any substantive action from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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